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For: **DISTRIBUTED CONTROL SYSTEM WITH GLOBAL CONSTRAINTS FOR  
CONTROLLING OBJECT MOTION WITH SMART MATTER**

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